VI.—ANNOUNCEMENT *RE* PANEL OF CHAIRMEN.

MR. SPEAKER : Under Rule 14 (1) of the Assembly Rules I have nominated the following six members of the Assembly to be the Panel of Chairmen for the present sitting of the Legislative Assembly :—

Srimathi P. K. R. Lakshmikantham
Sri K. B. Palani
Sri M. Dandayuthapani
Sri S. Nanjunda Row
Sri K. Cheemaichamy
Sri M. Kamalanathan.

VII.—PRESENTATION OF THE REPORT OF THE PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE.

SRI V. R. NEDUNCHEZHIYAN : Mr. Speaker, Sir, I, as the Chairman of the Committee on Public Accounts, beg to present the Report of the Committee on the Accounts of the State of Madras for the year 1960-61 and the Audit Report for 1962.

VIII.—GOVERNMENT MOTIONS.

(1) ELECTION TO THE COMMITTEE ON ESTIMATES FOR 1963-64.

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : Sir, I move—

" That with reference to Rule 164 of the Madras Legislative Assembly Rules, this Assembly do proceed, on a date to be fixed by the Hon. Speaker, to elect fourteen members to be members of the Committee on Estimates for the year 1963-64. "

MR. SPEAKER : The question is—

" That with reference to Rule 164 of the Madras Legislative Assembly Rules, this Assembly do proceed, on a date to be fixed by the Hon. Speaker, to elect fourteen members to be members of the Committee on Estimate for the year 1963–64. "

The motion was put and carried.

MR. SPEAKER : In accordance with the regulations framed by me for the holding of elections according to the principle of proportional representation by means of the single transferable vote, I fix 11 a.m. on Thursday, the 8th August 1963, as the time within which nomination papers of candidates for election to the Committee on Estimates should reach the Secretary. Nomination forms can be had on application to the Secretary.

The nomination papers will be taken up for scrutiny at 3 p.m. on Thursday the 8th August 1963. I also fix 11 a.m. on Saturday the 10th August 1963, as the last hour and date for the withdrawal of candidature.

If the number of candidates nominated exceeds the number of seats to be filled, viz., fourteen, a poll will be taken on Monday, the 12th August 1963 between the hours 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.